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DISPATCH NO. MGB-A-7699

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TO : Chief, Foreign Division "M"  
FROM : Acting Chief of Station, Karlsruhe *de*  
SUBJECT: GENERAL  
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SPECIFIC: Project CARBOHYDRATE - Change in Estimated Pay

1. Effective 1 January 1951, subject has been downgraded from Kommandeur 6 to Kommandeur 7. This involves a reduction in pay from 1,155.00 DM East to 885.00 DM East brutto. Also, effective 1 December 1950, we discontinued all supplies. Thus in effect, subject has suffered a serious reduction in his living standards. Although by the terms of our contract we are under no obligation to make up for subject's salary reductions or cessation of supplies, we would consider it both equitable and desirable to increase subject's salary proportionally. In May 1951 he will have served us loyally for three years and although his performance has never been spectacular, he has been reporting to us meticulously and reliably on developments within the target organization. He proposes to continue serving us while the emergency lasts.

2. Authorization is requested a) to increase subject's monthly salary payment by 109 DM West effective 1 January 1951, raising the total allocation for the period from 1 January - 30 June 1951 to 3900 DM West. b) to include this amount in the monthly cash quota of his salary, raising it to a total of 250 DM West. No added security hazards of the operation are envisaged as a result of this increase in pay.

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